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**Abstract** : A computer code has been developed to compute the normal force coefficient and centre of pressure position (or pitching moment coefficient) for slender bodies of circular cross section.

The code treats bodies with conical and ogival nose shapes and it has been validated against experimental data available in in literature for a range of Mach numbers and fineness ratios.